A-B-C Key Stickers

Playing music is one of the most enjoyable and fun-filled adventures you'll ever experience. A-B-C Stickers are an important step in that adventure.

What Are A-B-C Stickers?

A-B-C Stickers, when applied to your keyboard, help you quickly and easily identify the letter names of the music keys on your instrument. If you're a beginner, you'll better enjoy playing all the great song hits available in the A-B-C books by Sight & Sound Music Software, Inc.

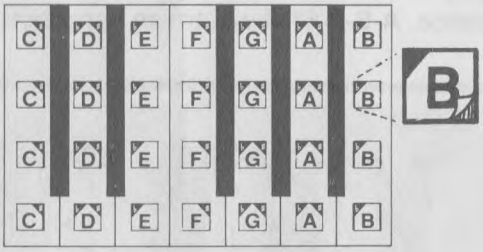
Once your A-B-C Stickers are in place, be sure to try the song excerpts which follow. Each highlights one of the A-B-C Music song collections. Each will help you decide which books you'll want to get started on soon.

And remember, all are written with easy to read and play A-B-C letters in the notes. This makes playing your favorite hits easy and fun, even if you've never before played music.

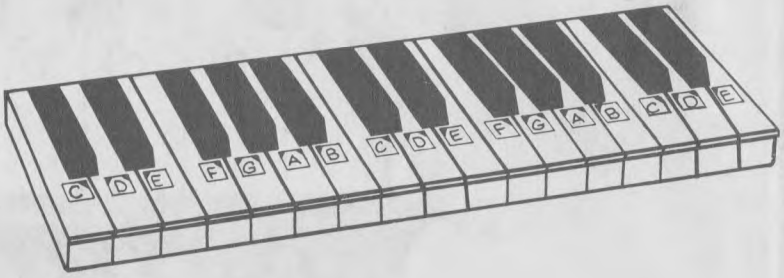
Applying The Stickers

You may apply stickers to as many keys as you think necessary.

1. Peel each sticker from its backing.



2. Align each sticker on the appropriate white key as shown.



3. Now you're ready to play music.

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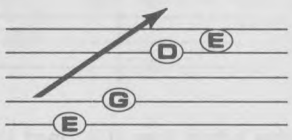
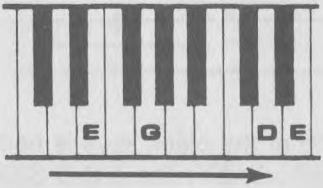
Playing Tips

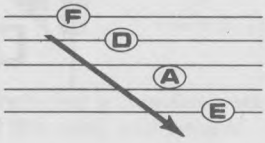
With A-B-C Music, notes move up and down to indicate higher and lower tones.

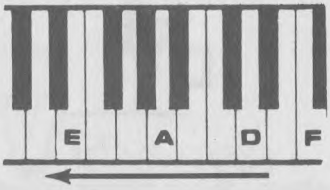
When notes move up on your music, move to the right on your keyboard.



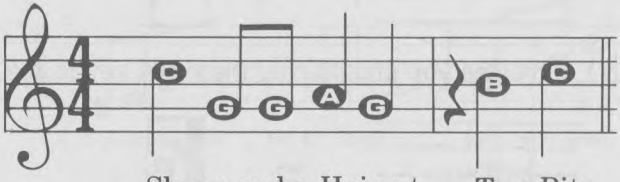


When notes move down on your music, move to the left on your keyboard.





Try the following musical phrases. Match the letters in the notes with the A-B-C Stickers on your keyboard.



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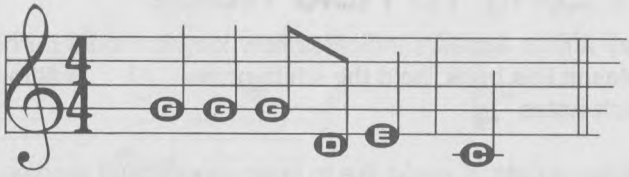
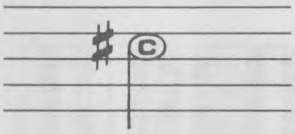
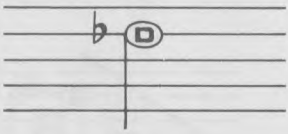


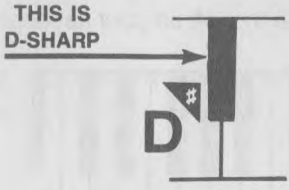
More About The Stickers

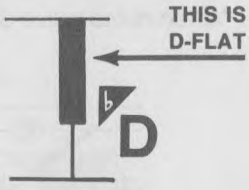
Not all your music will be played on the white keys. To indicate when to play a black key, a sharp (♯) or a flat (♭) precedes a note on your music.



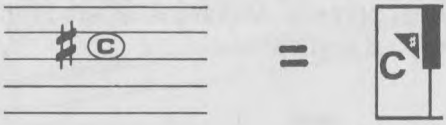


Each of the black keys is named after the white key it's next to. This is indicated by the A-B-C Stickers.

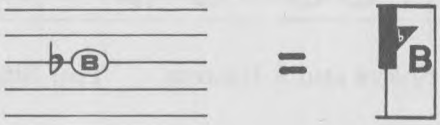




A sharp (♯) indicates you should play the black key to the right.



A flat (♭) indicates you should play the black key to the left.



How Long To Hold Notes

The way a note appears indicates how long it should be held. For the examples in this book, hold the white notes 𝅗𝅥 a little longer than the black notes ♩

Performance note: If you'd like to learn more about reading music, ask your dealer about the *Creative Playing* series described on the back page of this book.

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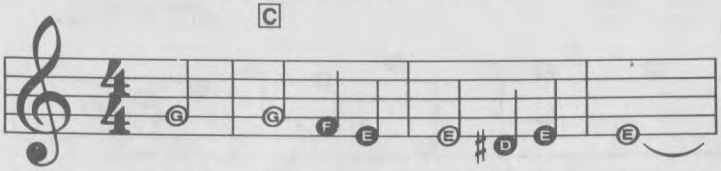
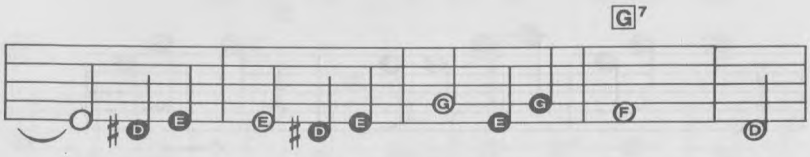
BE KIND TO YOUR WEB-FOOTED FRIENDS





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TV Themes

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T.V. Theme from "ALL IN THE FAMILY"

THOSE WERE THE DAYS

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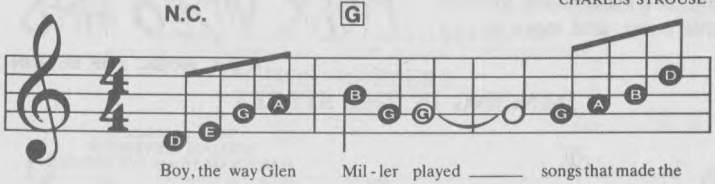
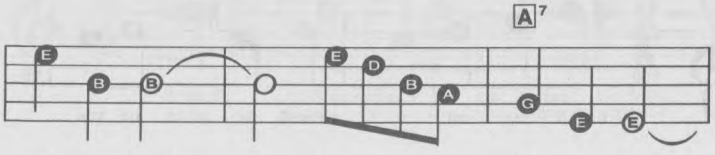
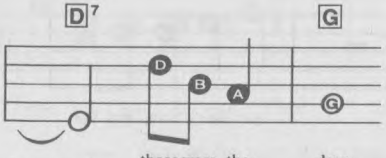
Music by
CHARLES STROUSE





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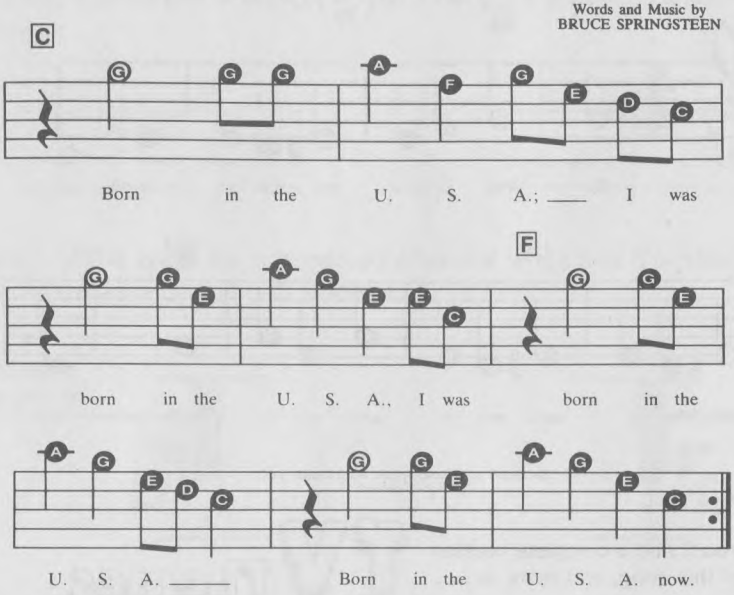
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MUSIC VIDEO HITS
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DANCING IN THE STREET

Words and Music by
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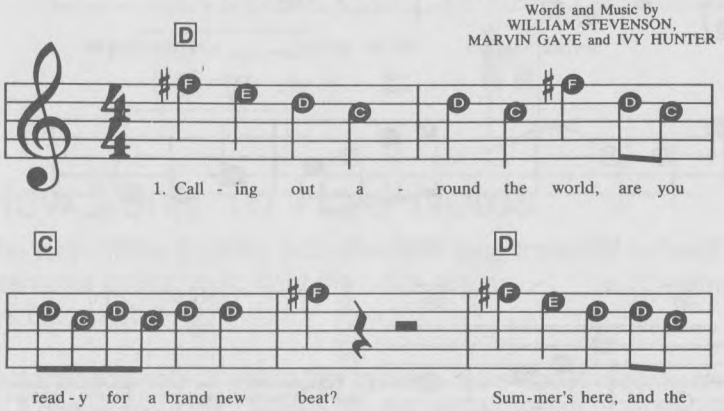

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Hot Country

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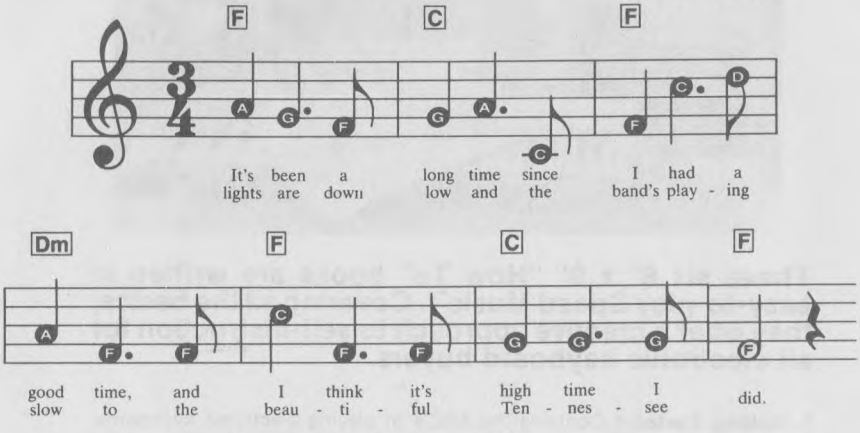
WALTZ ME TO HEAVEN

Words and Music by
DOLLY PARTON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It's been a long time since I had a
lights are down low and the band's play - ing
Dm
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good time, and I think it's high time I
slow to the beau - ti - ful Ten - nes - see
did.

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FILM'S OF THE 80's

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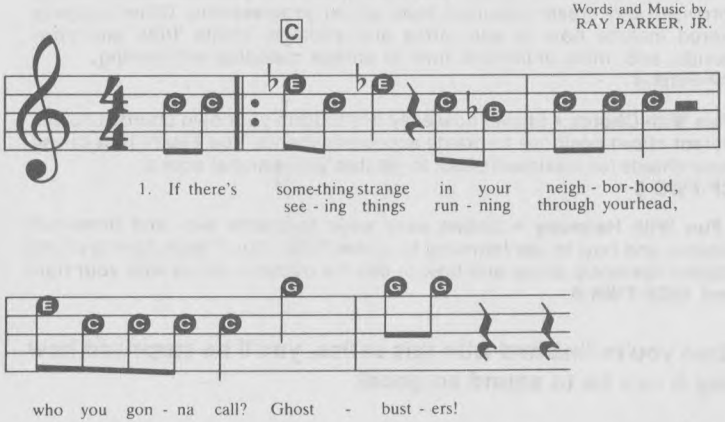
COLUMBIA PICTURES Presents and IVAN REITMAN Film
A BLACK RHINO/BERNIE BRILLSTEIN Production "GHOSTBUSTERS"

GHOSTBUSTERS

Words and Music by
RAY PARKER, JR.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1. If there's some-thing strange in your neigh - bor-hood,
see - ing things run - ning through yourhead,
who you gon - na call? Ghost - bust - ers!

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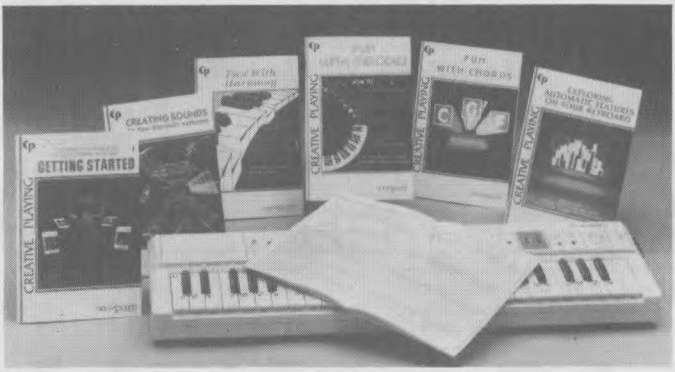
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